



Atty. Dkt. No. 065691-0201

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Patrick COHEN et al.
Title: AUTOMATIC DEVICE FOR DISPENSING SAMPLES IN LIQUID MEDIUM
FOR USE IN CHEMICAL OR BIOLOGICAL REACTIONS (Amended)
Appl. No.: 09/646,668
Filing Date: September 20, 2000
Examiner: Elizabeth S. Quan
Art Unit: 1743

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time (1 page).
- ☒ Amendment and Reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.111, including Abstract of the Disclosure (24 pages).
- ☒ Drawing Transmittal (1 page).
- ☒ Formal Drawings, including Figures 1-3 (2 pages).
- ☒ Check No. 28702 in the amount of \$1,014 for extension of time and excess claims fees.
- ☒ The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	18	<input type="checkbox"/>	20	=	0	X	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independents:	4	<input type="checkbox"/>	3	=	1	X	\$84.00	=	\$84.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:						+	\$280.00	=	\$0.00
							CLAIMS FEE TOTAL:	=	\$84.00

- ☒ Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$110.00	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$410.00	\$0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$930.00	\$930.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,450.00	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$1,970.00	\$0.00
EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:			\$930.00
CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:			\$1,014.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract 1/2 of above):		\$0.00
TOTAL FEE:			\$1,014.00

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date 5/6/3

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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents
ATTENTION: DRAWING REVIEW BRANCH
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the formal drawings (2 sheets, Figures 1-3) for the above-identified application. The Official Draftsperson is respectfully requested to approve these drawings for entry into the application.


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